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Is full of good things. All the new styles in handsome and good wearing suits for little and big boys at prices to suit any purse, and not a suit in our store but carries our recommendation with it. No such assortment of styles shown in our city.

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HOME FACTORY SHOE STORES.

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LANDMARK

Destroyed by Yesterday's Big Storm at Lucasville.

HOUSE WAS BURNED

And George Cook, a Farmer Was Almost Killed by Lightning.

County Bridge Was Wasned Out While N. & W. Trestle Was Damaged and the Track Washed.

Later reports from Lucasville show that the storm which swept over that section late yesterday afternoon was the worst ever known. It was a regular cyclone and the damage will run away up in the thousands.

The storm began about 3 o'clock when the wind began to blow violently. There was a lull for a few minutes and then came a terrific down-pour of rain, while it thundred and the lightning flashed incessantly. Suddenly the rain changed to hail and for almost an hour hail fell, sizes ranging from small drops to almost the size of an egg. The ground was covered to the depth of almost two inches, and it was impossible for any one to venture out without being severely injured. One or two who tried it had their umbrellas pounded to pieces by the hail stones.

While the storm was at its height, word reached the town that the residence of John Kline, near by, had been struck by lightning. It developed that Mr. Kline's new residence had escaped, but the two story frame which he formerly occupied was struck by the electric fluid. This house was occupied by a widow named Traxler and a family named McJunkin. They were shocked by the lightning but were able to leave the house in safety. The house caught fire and burned to the ground. Almost all of the contents were destroyed. This house was an old landmark, and was one of the oldest houses in the Scioto valley.

George Cook, a prominent citizen of Lucasville, was struck by lightning at his home. He was knocked senseless and did not regain consciousness for over an honr. It was at first thought that he would die, but he revived. Word reached the Times this afternoon that he was getting along all right. Other members of the family were shocked, but none seriously hurt.

The creeks in the vicinity rose with great rapidity overflowing their banks. The current was swift and swept everything before it. The county bridge right at the town was swept out even stone abutments being carried away. The bridge was carried down the creek to the Scioto river. The roads were all badly washed and many smaller bridges were carried away by the fierce waters.

The Norfolk & Western railroad was railroad was a heavy loser by the the storm. The track for over 300 feet was badly washed and had to be rebuilt.

Just before the passenger train which is due here at 4:42, came along two bents in the trestle near the town were washed out and the remaining supports were undermined. This will make it necessary to rebuild the entire trestle. A big force of section men were put to work on the trestle and the track and it was repaired temporarily late last night.

A number of cows belonging to Mr. Rockwell got caught in the creek. They were drowned being unable to breast the current.

It was stated that while it was hailing the themometer dropped below freezing and people had to don their overcoats.

Martin's New Office.

Martin Mickelthwait has purchased the building on East Third street, formerly occupied by John Russell's grocery. He will have it moved to the lot adjoining Staiger's tailor shop.

A Wedding.

Richard Stapleton, aged 69, and Mrs. Anna Buffington aged 45, a Kentucky couple, were married at the Court House this afternoon by Rev. J. B. Tracy.

NEW WHOLESALE HOUSE.

W. H. Havekotte and Son, of Gallia Street, the New Firm.

W. H. Havekotte, the Gallia street grocer, has concluded to retire from the retail grocery business and with his son William, will engage in the wholesale business at their present stand on Gallia street. An additional building will be erected. Mr. Havecotte Sr. has been engaged in the retail business for a great many years while Will Havecotte Jr. has been in the empoly of M. B. Gilbert & Co. for several years.

STRANGE

Series of Events in Josephine Rockwell's Life.

ONE HUSBAND BURIED

At Three O'clock and at Four O'clock She Married Another.

Then This Morning She and Her New Husband Were Sentenced to the Workhouse.

The West Side is liable to spring most any old thing, but the latest is a new one. The husband of a woman is buried at 3:30, and she is married to another man an hour later.

Josephine Rockwell is the woman's name. She separated from her husband, James Rockwell, a few months ago. The last grand jury indicted Josephine for living in adultery with one Albert Purtuset. Purtuset was also indicted. He gave bond, but Josephine was compelled to lay in jail.

Thursday James Rockwell died, and his remains were interred in the cemetery near Henley yesterday afternoon. An hour after the hour of burial Purtuset appeared at the Probate office, procured a license, and securing the services of Deacon Tracy, the two went to the sheriff's office. Josephine was brought from her cell and the words were pronounced that made Bert Putuset and Josephine Rockwell man and wife.

The strange series of events in the woman's life was completed today when Judge Milner sentenced both she and her new husband to the work house. She goes to Columbus for 30 days and he goes to Cincinnati for 60 days.

Short Local News.

Frank Davis, late of Storck & Hopkins, has accepted a position with the C. P. & V. railroad.

C. C. Cunningham, the carpenter, moved with his family to East Liverpool, O., yesterday.

Rudy Kountz has moved to Yorktown, and opened his new resort.

Henry Ruhl is placing a number of slot machines in the hotels and resorts about town.

For Rent—Grondview park, New Boston. Apply to H. S. GRIMES.

Naval Cadet Examination.

The examination of applicants for Naval cadets resulted as follows:

Shriver, of Ironton, 1st; Jones, of Lucasville, 2d; Evans, of Oak Hill, 3d; Rickey, of Lucasville, 4th; Marting, of Portsmouth 5th and Lloyd, of Ironton, 6th.

An Alleged Election.

Greenup will vote Monday on local option and chances are the wets will win by a small majority. Attorney Fullerton, who was in town today, says the election is illegal, a number of mistakes having been made.

READY TO QUIT

Filipinos Acknowledge They Have Been Defeated

And Want to Have Peace Declared as Soon as Possible—Fresh Proposals Are Expected.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Manila, April 29.—Conference between Gen. Otis and Filipino commissioners today was without a result. The commissioners have returned to the insurgent lines. Commissioners admit that their army is defeated. It is expected they will return with fresh proposals.

FULL AMNESTY

Will Be Granted All Filippinos Who Will Give Up Their Arms.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 29.—Gen. Otis cabled that the Filipinos wanted three weeks in which to allow their congress to decide whether hostilities should cease. He declined, but said a full amnesty would be granted on surrender. It is believed they are tired of the war.

Coal Miners Strike.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 29.—According to the labor commissioner's report, the largest strike coal miners in Indiana have had since 1897 will begin next week. They say three thousand men in Southern Indiana will strike.

Cleveland Capitalist Dead.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cleveland, April 29.—L. M. Pitin, President of the Variety Iron works was instantly killed at Coits, a suburb, by stepping immediately in front of a lake shore west bound flyer.

Will Increase Wages.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Youngstown, O., April 29.—Six iron, steel and coal companies increase wages ten per cent May first.

The Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, April 29.—Hogs, steady, $3.50, $4.00; cattle, steady.

Wheat, 71⅝; May corn, 33⅞; oats, 26⅜.

Toledo.—Wheat, 74¼.

Cincinnati.—Eggs, 11½.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohie—Fair tonight and Sunday.

Lou Gilgen Nominated.

Louis Gilgen has been placed on the Democratic ticket for councilman from the Sixth ward, in place of Lawrence Neudoerfer, who declined to run.

Mr. Gilgen is a popular young business man and should be elected.

SECRET MEETING

Of the School Board Held and an Investigation Committee Named.

There was a secret meeting of the Board of Education last night, behind locked doors. It is understood that a matter which has been on the public tongue for some time was considered, and some of the members grew quite warm in expressing themselves. There was talk of a committee investigating somebody or other, but just who, when or why, nobody on the outside seems to know.

New C. & O. Agent.

Traveling Auditor Walston, of the C. & O. is in town checking out L. E. Hughes as local agent for that road. He will take an extended Western tour for his health. Frank Baggs was appointed to succeed him.

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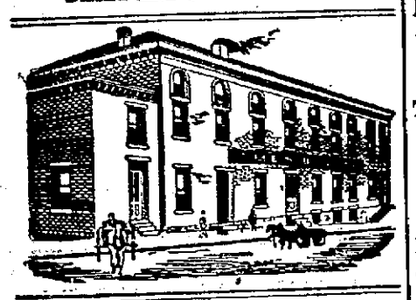

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VALLEE, HAROLD, Editor and Manager.

A MARKED DIFFERENCE.

The Zanesville Signal has been comparing some things in the past with the same things of today, and it wants to know why the difference.

Its subject of review are pensions and pensions service and it querries why are the execrations once hurled at the devoted head of Hoke Smith, as pension commissioner now heard no more, let us hope forever. It points out that the regulations formulated by Commissioner Smith are enforced with it a rigidity by Commissioner Evans that was not dreamed of in their inception and it cannot understand why if these regulations were so iniquitous then, they are not equally outrageous now. The answer is easy. It is just politics. Nine-tenths, and perhaps more of the pensioners were Republicans. Whatever a Democratic official did with them was wrong. A Republican official may do the same thing and while they will not go just to the extent of saying it is right, they are not going to raise any howl about it, it might hurt the party.

We can readily believe that the war is ended and that there is no longer a North and a South, when we see the horsed-terror of the Confederacy General Joe Wheeler, paying glowing tribute yesterday to General U. S. Grant at the dedication of a statue to the latter in Philadelphia. Joe Wheeler spoke as one who fought and knew the worth of the greatest Union commander and he spoke well.

It takes the Blade's "prominent attorneys" a mighty long time "to prepare that $5,000 libel suit against The Times." That just reminds us though that The Times prints the news and the Blade talks about fictitious libel suits against it for so doing. The old journalistic granny can't each catch sight of our smoke lumbering along in that fashion.

The Blade may believe that any new central committee will do to select delegates to the Republican state convention, but there are rumblings all over the state that hint such proceedings are going to make days of trouble for the G. O. P

The currency reforms that the Republican party promised are not in evidence, nor is any honest, earnest effort to bring them about.

The Republican primaries will be held a week from today. May the best candidates win.

Only two trusts were formed yesterday.

Bigelow Church.

At the Thank Offering service to be held Sunday evening, April 30th, the following program will be rendered:

Organ Voluntary, Anthem, Scripture reading, Prayer, Hymn, I Love to Tell the Story; Recitation, Marjorie Pursell; Song, Mrs. Shober and choir; Reading, Mrs. Will Pursell; Offertory, Solo, Mrs. Wells Hutchins; Address, Rev. H. W. Hargett; Quartette, Mrs. Shober, Miss Holland, Mr. Holmes, Mr. Moore; Recitation, Carol Simmons; Solo, Mrs. G. D. Wait; Thank-Offering, Benediction.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is unquestionably the most remarkable remedy ever produded for the cure of throat and lung troubles. It has cured thousands, and has done wonders in many cases of incipient consumption. 2

Quit His Job.

Leo Brillian, who has been with Sam'l Harchow for the past two years, leaves Monday for Zanesville where he will engage in the installment business.

Champions in their lines are all the artists of the arena with John Robinson's ten big shows.

HEARTY EXPRESSION.

Hundreds Tell of the Change Which They Have Felt.

The Time Comes for Portsmouth People to Tell What Has Been Done for Them.

The time has come when people in Portsmouth feel the change. Hundreds of people in this city have given voluntary endorsement of the change they have felt after using Morrow's Kid-ne-oids.

Kid-ne-oids will cure a lame back, kidney backache, urinary and kidney disorders, sleeplessness, restlessness and nervousness. We always like to give reference to the merits of Morrow's Kid-ne-oids, and this time refer you to Mr. Henry Delotell, who sesides at 165 East Front street.

He says: "I was troubled with a severe aching and at times very sharp pains across the small of my back. I became nervous and could not sleep well at night. I was generally run down and nothing that I took seemed to do me any good. I saw Morrow's Kid-ne-oids advertised and as they were guaranteed to cure backache, I got some at Fisher & Streich's Drug Store, and they cured me entirely in about a week. Kid-ne-oids are just the medicine for any one in the condition I was."

Morrow's Kid-ne-oids are not pills, but yellow tablets which is the scientific form of preparing medicine, and are put up in wooden boxes which contain enough for about two weeks' treatment and sell at fifty cents a box, at Fisher & Streich's Drug Store.

Descriptive booklet mailed upon request by John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.

Eyes examined without charge at No. 417 Chillicothe street.
29 3 C. H. HARRIS

Hempstead Academy.

The regular monthly meeting of the Hempstead Academy, will be held Monday May 1st.

The stupendous scenic spectacle of Solomon, his temple, and the Queen of Sheba, draws forth the admiration of all who witness this truly wonderful, realistic production.

If you suffer from tenderness or fullness on the right side, pains under shoulder-blade, constipation, biliousness, sick headache, and feel dull, heavy and sleepy your liver is torpid and congested. De Witt's Little Early Risers will cure you promptly, pleasantly and permanently by removing the congestion and causing the bile ducts to open and flow naturally. They are good pills. Fisher Bros. and Wurster Bros.

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Good for Itching Backs

MOTHERS! Mothers! a hot bath with CUTICURA SOAP, when followed by a single application of CUTICURA Ointment, the great skin cure and purest of emollients, will afford the most grateful and comforting relief in the severest forms of itching, burning, and scaly skin and scalp humors, rashes, and irritations, and point to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure when all other remedies and even the best physicians fail.

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We have prepared a Sarsaparilla which is prepared to cure. It is a powerful remedy and blood purifier. A spring languor that our Sarsaparilla will not cure you of would be news to us and we should be pleased to know of it.

We sell the Sarsaparilla under a guarantee; we know it will cure you and then a guarantee will cost us nothing. There is a demand for a good blood purifier that will economically take the place of the many high priced patent medicines on the market and we have studied it out and find our Sarsaparilla will do all that is claimed for it. The bottle contains a full pint, (nearly twice as much as any other) of medicine. Any person suffering from that tired feeling needs a good Sarsaparilla, and should secure a bottle of ours at once. If you are not improved we will refund the money paid us. Price per bottle 75c.

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Approaching Spring

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The busy housewife will save time and money by calling on us for supplies. Wall paper cleaner, carpet cleaner, furniture varnish, grate varnish, enamel paints, gold paints for decorating purposes, etc.

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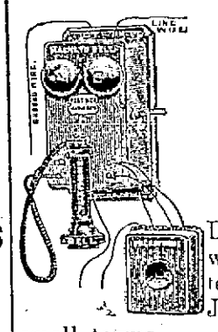

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Portsmouth, May 1st.

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10 BIG SHOWS 10

COMBINED,

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SOLOMON, HIS TEMPLE,

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3 BIG MENAGERIES 3

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1 GIGANTIC MUSEUM 1

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this season obtained from Europe and America, will amaze and startle the world. Nothing like them ever before presented in this country. The exhibitions of former years and other shows relegated to oblivion by the perseverance and Master Minds of the Artists with

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Free exhibition at the Circus grounds immediately after parade and at 6:30 P. M. One admission ticket admits to all.

For full particulars notice other advertisements.

SUNDAY SERVICES

NOTE—The time of services in this column is Central Standard time. Ministers and others will please prepare their notices accordingly.

Sixth Street M. E.

Morning subject, "Our Nation Disgraced," preceeded by a short sermon to children. Evening topic, "The Making of a Woman"—the fifth in a series of "Practical Talks on Practical Themes."

United Brethren.

Corner of Seventh and Gay streets, T. E. Comer, pastor. Sabbath school at 9 a. m., Geo. J. Schmidt, superintendent; preaching at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Bethel, or the True Vision of Life." At 7 p. m. the Juniors will have charge of the services. A good program has been prepared for the occasion. Strangers welcome.

German Presbyterian.

Corner Seventh and Chillicothe streets, J. A. Toensmeir, pastor. Sunday school at 8:30 a. m., Mr. Adam Young, superintendent. German service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Deceiving Ourselves." Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m., Miss Emma Bierly, leader. No evening service. All are cordially invited.

Christian.

Corner of Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. It is library day. Let all come. Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Harvesters Wanted! Evening subject, "Hell." All are cordially invited.

All Saints.

Fourth and Court streets, the Rev. J. D. Herron, rector. Holy communion at 7. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Evensong and sermon at 7. Subject, "The Salt of the Earth and the Light of the World." The convention committee and the district canvassers will meet in the church directly after the morning service.

Second Presbyterian.

Corner Eighth and North Waller streets, Rev. S. B. Alderson, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., standard time. Morning subject, (sermon to old people) "The Retrospects and Prospects of the Aged"; evening subject, "How Christians Should Talk." Sunday school, 8:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.

Bigelow M. E.

Sunday school at 8:45; public worship, 10:30; sermon topic, "The Tie That Binds." The I. O. O. F. and the Daughters of Rebecca will attend this service. Class meeting at 2 p. m.; Epworth league at 6 p. m.; annual thank offering meeting of the W. F. M. S. at 7 p. m. An interesting program has been prepared. There will be solos by Mrs. Wells Hutchins and Mrs. G. D. Wait. Also other special music. All are invited.

First Baptist.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m., Allen B. Cook, superintendent. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2:30 p. m., Miss Ludie Morris, leader; Senior Union at 6 p m.; morning service, 10:20 a. m.; evening service, 7 p. m. Rev. Willis O. Shaw, of Churchville, N. Y., will preach at both services and will spend the week with the church, preaching also next Sabbath. The committee are desirous that the membership hear Mr. Shaw before extending a "call."

Pleasant Green Baptist.

J. L. Murray, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "How Shall We Divide Our Time. Sabbath school at 1:30 p. m. and 3 a. m. The usual sermon of the eastern star will be preached by the pastor. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. All are invited to attend these meetings.

First Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian church, southwest corner of Third and Court streets, David S. Tappan, pastor. Sabbath school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "A Parable of Spring." Evening, "Balm for Wounded Souls;" Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.; mid-week service on Wednesday at 7 p. m. A special invitation is given to strangers. All are assured of a cordial welcome at each of these services.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O, made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c. 2

"Now good digestion waits on appetite and health on both." If it doesn't, try Burdock Blood Bitters.

MUNYON'S

I do not believe there is a case of dyspepsia, indigestion or any stomach trouble that cannot be relieved at once and permanently cured by my DYSPEPSIA CURE.

MUNYON.

At all druggists, 25c. a vial. Guide to Health and medical advice free. 1505 Arch street, Phila.

DYSPEPSIA CURE

FOR SALE.

Choice property, vacant and improved, located on any street in the city. Dwelling and business sites, good neighborhood and desirable locations, on easy terms. Bargains. See

W. A. McFARLIN,

Insurance, Real Estate and Loan Agent, 111 Market St.

Furniture Polish.

Keep your Furniture and Piano clean and bright by using a polish that will not injure the finish, but put a good lustre on same. Sold by the quart or by the bottle for

25 Cts

Guaranteed to be the best polish ever used in Portsmouth. A sample of the work can be seen on the Wait Furniture now on exhibition. Every piece is highly polished.

Every housekeeper will recommend it when once used.

For sale by

F. C. Daehler's

Furniture and Undertaking,

Market Street.

SPRING MILLINERY.

Exclusive designs that cannot be found elsewhere. New shapes, new ideas at

Reasonable Prices.

Secure the services of a professional expert trimmer at

Mrs. Harris Moreland's,

320 Chillicothe St.

Still Some More Specialties

—AT—

Ellery's Bargain Store.

We have just received a new line of Cooking Stoves that it would certainly pay you to come in and see, it good material and low prices are any inducement to buy.

We Have Everything in the Line of Cooking Utensels.

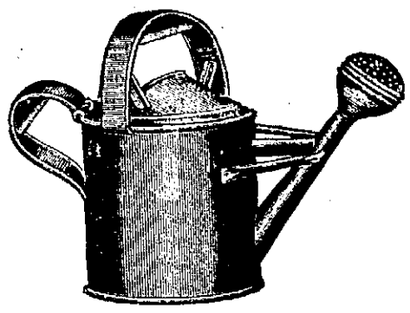
Fine quality polished cast iron frying pans, No. 7 15c, No. 8 19c, No. 9 21c.

Coffee Mills, 50c kind, hold pound of coffee, our price.....29c

8 qt. Granite Coffee Boiler 49c.

3 pt. Granite Coffee Pots.....23c
2 qt. " " " 25c
3 qt. " " " 29c
4 qt. " " " 32c
5 qt. " " " 35c

4 qt. Granite Coffee Boilers.....39c
6 qt. Granite Coffee Boilers.....45c



Tin Sprinkling Cans With Zinc Sprinklers that Won't Rust.

2 qt.....10c
4 qt.....18c
6 qt.....24c

Galvanized Sprinkling Cans, the wear forever kind, 4 qt. 24c, 8 qt. 37c, 12 qt 49c.

Ellery's Bargain Store,

409-411 Chillicothe Street.

WE HAVE GOODS

To sell and we will sell at lower than the lowest. Pianos, highest grade, Organs, same, at less than cost. Violins, Mandolins, Guitars, and all other small musical goods. A full line of best Sewing Machines, good terms.

Also Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lumber, Shingles, Builders' Hardware, Glass, etc. Also Building and Painting Contractor. Will sell or rent real estate. Come and see us and we will do you good.

J. B. GILSON,

82 West Third Street.

Marting's. | Marting's. | Marting's.

FLOOR COVERINGS.

— OF ALL KINDS. —

We have not selected a few pieces on any particular kind of floor covering, but our stock includes everything. We are in the carpet business to supply the wants of everyone.

HEMP CARPET, yard wide, 12½c to 18c.
Granite Ingrain, yard wide, 25c to 30c.
Union Ingrain, 35c and 40c.
All Wool Filling, cotton chain ingrain, 45c and 50c.

All Wool Ingrain 50c, 55c and 60c.

Straw Matting 12½-15-18-20c.

Up to 50c yard.

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS—1 yd wide, 1¼ wide, 1½ wide, 2 wide, 2½ wide, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c square yard.

— LINOLEUM IN ALL WIDTHS. —

Ingrain Druggets, all possible sizes, some cotton chain, some all wool. Just Received a Pro-Brussels Druggets.

Bamboo Porch Portiers $1.50.

Marting Bros. & Co.

SCENE

Caused at the Circus Grounds by a Young Girl.

Was Arrested by Policeman Funk and and Began Screaming and Drew a Large Crowd of Excited People.

An exciting scene occurred at the show ground immediately after the performance last evening. A girl named Wilson, better known as "Hogan's Alley," attended the circus in company with Charley Moeller. As they came out and were near the engine house, Policeman Funk arrested the girl.

She began screaming and crying. This soon created an excitement and drew a crowd. Young Moeller took her inside the engine house to avoid the crowd and await the patrol wagon. She kept up her cries, drawing hundreds of people, compelling the police and fireman to place a guard line to keep the crowd back. On the arrival of the patrol wagon she was taken to the station house. Young Moeller climbed into the wagon and accompanied the young lady on the late ride.

The Wilson girl screamed and cried the whole night in the station house, keeping everybody in the neighborhood awake. This morning she had a private talk with the mayor and marshal. She was released at 3 o'clock this afternoon, on condition that she be sent to a convent. Otherwise she will be sent to the Girls' Industrial school.

It seems that Marshal Schmitt gave orders some time ago to arrest the girl, but the police could not locate her. Once or twice when she was on a bicycle she gave the police the laugh.

THE CIRCUS

Draws a Large Crowd and H. Continues to Please the Public.

Kilgore & Barber Bros'. was encouraged last evening by having to turn people away. At least thirty-five hundred people were inside. The seating capacity was increased yesterday in anticipation of an outpouring of the people. The seating capacity was soon exhausted and standing room at a premium.

The show improves as the rough edges are worn off. The large audience was well pleased, and the general verdict was that the boys have a good show.

Mr. Weaver, who takes part in the exhibit of living statuary, was taken suddenly ill immediately after his appearance in the ring, and Dr. Foster was called.

What might have been a serious accident occurred during the performance of the Wilson brothers on the trapeze. In one of their daring feats in mid-air one of them fell to the ground, a distance of twenty feet, but fortunately he was uninjured.

Repairing

Of watches and jewelry. Best of work, lowest prices, E. L. FEYLER, 81 West Second street.

NELSON'S SHADOW

Proved to Be Pugnacious and They Had a Big Scrap.

John Nelson, who lives at 1023 Washington street, had a little too much booze on board yesterday, when he went home.

He saw his shadow in a window glass and squared away for a fight. The "other fellow" squared away too and John became very much excited. He struck viciously at the "fellow" and drove his arm through a big pane of glass. His arm was badly cut, one of the arteries being severed. A physician had to be called to stop the flow of blood. He lost a great deal of blood.

Spectacles

Eyes tested free. Glasses furnished at low prices, E. L. FEYLER, 81 West Second street. 27-3t

RESULTED FATALLY.

William Bowers, Who Was Hurt by a Falling Tree, Died Last Night.

William Bowers, of Harrison township, died last night. About six weeks ago Mr. Bowers was injured by a tree falling on him. He recovered from his injuries rapidly and a few days ago was at Harrisonville. Yesterday morning he suffered a relapse and last night he died.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at the Fairview cemetery, Madison township.

Screen doors and windows in great variety at prices as low as the lowest, delivered to any part of the city.

F. A. GLOCKNER,
30d-w No 121 and 123 Gallia street.

The best medicine that money can buy is Hood's Sarsaparilla. First, Because, it combines economy and strength. There is more concentrated merit and medicinal power in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in half a dozen bottles of others. Each bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains one hundred doses—an unanswerable argument as to strength and economy—and will last a month, while other remedies average to last a week or fortnight. Second, Because those who have bought it and taken it universally praise it. It cures even when other remedies fail to do any good whatever. In fact, it is not what we say but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story of its merit. Its *thousands* of testimonials are as reliable and worthy your confidence as if they came from your most trusted neighbor. Third, Because there is no substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Dealers who try to sell something else, generally say "Ours is as good as Hood's"—thus really admitting that Hood's is the standard and possesses merit impossible for others to reach. There are many other reasons why Hood's Sarsaparilla is America's Greatest Medicine, the Best That Money Can Buy. But if you will only buy it and try it yourself you will have reasons for faith in it stronger than them all—that of *personal experience* with, and *personal knowledge* of, its curative powers. Take it *now*. Get Hood's. *It never disappoints.*

Hood's Sarsaparilla — Best — Money — Can Buy

COURT HOUSE.

Common Pleas court was in session this morning, Judge Collings hearing the second case of George B. Millar against the Excelsior Shoe Co.

Judge Milner held a short session of court in the clerk's office this morning, when Bert Purtuset appeared and changed his former plea of not guilty to a plea of guilty, and was sentenced to $25 and costs and sixty days in the Cincinnati workhouse.

Josephine Rockwell also appeared and withdrew her former plea of not guilty and enter a plea of guilty. She was sentenced to $10 and costs and thirty days in the Columbus workhouse.

P. M. Moore, an official of the Mansfield reformatory, was here this morning. He left on the N. & W. with W. C. Timmonds, the forger, who was recently sentenced to that institution.

The Avalon.

The Avalon will be down Monday morning, for Cincinnati.

Turtle soup tonight at Findeis'.

New Suits for Police and Fireman.

Haas, Schwartz & Co. have been awarded the contract for making the new uniforms for the police and firemen. They will make nobby suits of a new pattern.

For exclusive designs in wall paper, go to the Orr & Abbott Paint Co., 209 Chillicothe street. Phone 188. 10tf

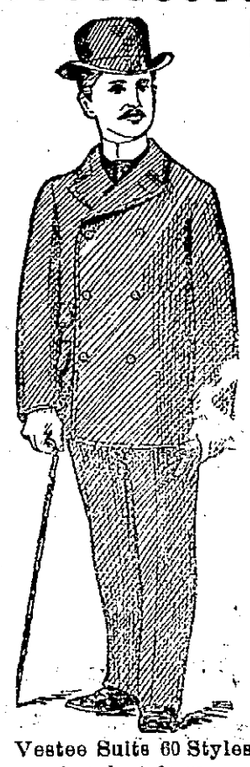
Cameras and Photo Supplies

Of all kinds at factory prices at E. L Feyler's 81 West Second street. 27-3t

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water rent is due May 1st. If paid in advance during the month of May a discount of five per cent will be given. By order of the board

26 tf THOS. S. HALL, clerk.



Vestee Suits 60 Styles to select from.

$10.00 $2.50 $7 50

FIGURES TALK

$5.00 $1.50 $3.50

It's not necessary for us to tell you of the value of our goods, everyone knows that we only handle the best. We do want to tell you however, that when you buy a suit of clothes from us you will save 25 per cent. That's an inducement isn't it?

YOUNG MEN

We are now showing a line of Clothing for you equal in every respect to tailor makes, they are cut right, fit right and have that air and style about them that gives them the appearance of made-to-order clothing. The prices are reasonable, very reasonable—$5, $7.50, $10, $12 and $15.

See Our Window Display of Fine Juvenile Attire.
FANCY SUITS FROM $2 50 TO $7 50.

J. EISMAN & CO.

121 and 123 WEST SECOND.

Sailor Suits

All Shades. All Prices.

Finest Line Ever Shown.

Advertising Bargains

And having just what is advertised keeps the People's Cash Store continually busy.

Special Prices

This week all through the store.

All our best quality Calicoes, standard goods ..... 3½c yd
Best Apron Gingham ..... 3½c yd
Dress Gingham, nice assortment ..... 3½c yd
Cotton Plaid Dress Goods ..... 3½c yd
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, taped neck ..... 5c each
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, short sleeves ..... 7c each
Men's Balbriggan Shirts ..... 15c each
Men's extra quality Balbriggan Shirts & Drawers, worth 35c ... 25c each
Men's Fancy Shirts 15c and upwards.
Elegant line of Men's Negligee Shirts with collars or cuffs ..... 48c each
We can save you money on all small articles, as Jewelry, Ribbons, Belts, Collars, Satin Stock Collars, Gloves, etc.
Remember we are headquarters for Hosiery and Underwear.
You will always find our prices the lowest in the city.

Purcell & Bragdon,

BARGAIN GIVERS OF PORTSMOUTH.

BARGAINS

FOR

Friday and Saturday.

12½c Misses' Oxblood Ribbed Hose for 5c pair.
12½c Misses' Black Ribbed Hose for 8c pair.
A lot of Ladies' 12½c Ribbed Vests, long sleeves, 8c.
A handsome lot of White and Colored Piques at reduced prices.
All our fancy silks and spring dress goods at lower prices than ever before.

Remember, Saturday is the last day at these extremely Low Prices.

Herms Dry Goods Co.

SALE SATURDAY!

AT

103 W. Second St.

The prices below tell the tale and we guarantee you will find everything as advertised.

2000 yds. Curtain Scrim, 5c. value, per yd. 2c.

4000 yds. Curtain Swiss, 12½c value, per yd. 7½c.

50 full size Bed Spreads, worth 65c, at 49c.

25 doz. Derby ribbed double knee Children's Hose, actual value 20c a pair. They go at 12 1-2c.

50 doz. Ladies' Hose, Hermsdorf dye, 40 guage, full, regular price 25c. Going at 15c.

25 doz. fast black Ladies' Hose, double sole. regular low price 15c. Going at 10c.

15 doz. fast black seamless Hose, good weight and good vale at 10c. Going at 6c.

300 yds. bleached damask Crash, regular low price 12½c. Going at 7 1-2c.

5000 yds. fast color Scotch Batiste, the best 5c value on earth. Going at 3 1-4c.

2 lots ladies' well made Wrappers, good values at 50c and 75c. Going at 39c and 55c.

The above are all new goods and bought especially for this sale. Quantities are as stated and some may not last all day. However, as long as we have them they are yours at these prices. Yours for Genuine Bargains.

Parisian Cloak Co.,

103 West Second Street, Atlas Bros., Prop.

DR. LATTERNER.

Specialist in the treatment of all forms of Chronic Diseases. Offices 17 East Eighth Street.

RHEUMATISM in any and all forms yields speedily and is permanently cured by my Special Methods of Treatment. Do not waste money on patent medicines, liniments, free cure ads. and such like, but call on me and get immediate relief and a permanent cure in a short time.

CATARRH is relieved by my treatment and is speedily overcome by my special methods. This disease means something worse if left unattended to, many times being the forerunner of consumption.

DYSPEPSIA is one of the most troublesome diseases to which the human family is heir. The patient many times becoming a mental and nervous wreck. Do not neglect having it properly attended to.

EPILEPSY sometimes cannot be cured only through surgical means, but in a majority of cases my special methods of treatment will effect a cure in a few months.

FEMALE WEAKNESS is found, according to statistics, in over 75 per cent. of our women, due in most instances by them not understanding how to take proper care of themselves. I have a system of treatment for this disease that never fails to cure even the most severe cases in a short time and removes all symptoms of nervousness, weakness, anaemia and other complications.

KIDNEY, LIVER, BLADDER AND SKIN DISEASES are among the most common diseases that come under my notice, so that if you are a sufferer from any of these ailments, call and consult at once. Don't delay.

Consultation, Examination and Advice Free.

J. W. Kilgore & Barber Bros.

UNITED SHOWS.

Will Exhibit in

Portsmouth, April 27, 28 and 29.

Wonderful Horizontal Bar Performance. The Truly Great Acrobatic Brother Act.

MONS. ADELE,

France's Greatest Acrobatic Equestrian, direct from Circque D'Alene, in splendid feats of riding and horsemanship. Thrilling Single Trapeze Performance by Mr. Thebeaux.

20--Other Big Features--20

Remember the extraordinary low price

10 AND 20 CTS

Applies only to the matinee performance in the afternoon. At night 20c for everybody. See the big parade at noon each day.

PERSONAL.

Mr. David Seemar, of Denver, Col., who has been the guest of his mother of 121 West Third street, returned home yesterday.

Miss Anna Jenkins arrived today from Ashland, Ky., on a visit to the Misses Reilly, of West Second street.

Jack Lavendar, of the West Side, is in the city on business today.

Miss Florence Boyce spent part of the week with Peter Brown, of Rushtown.

Mr. Ridout and wife, of Lick Run, spent the day with Mrs. Ferguson, of 76 West Tenth street.

Mrs. Josie Swisher and Miss Helen Boyce, of Kingston, Ohio, are the guests of Mrs. Boyce, of 35 West Tenth street.

Dr. Simeon Johnson and wife, of Ada, and Mrs. David Crull, of Lucasville, are the pleasant guests of A. B. Crull and family at No. 77 West Tenth street.

Samuel McAfee, of West Eighth street, left today for Rochester, N. Y.

John Brand has moved from the old Valjean property to 19 West Tenth street.

Mr. F. D. Stewart and wife and Keene Banfield and wife, of Garner, Ky., are the guests of Mrs. Scott, of West Tenth street.

Mrs. John Kennedy, of Ironton, will arrive this evening to join her husband, an employe of the Biggs house.

Mrs. Lizzie Hoobler, of Vanceburg, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDowell, of 72 Tenth street.

Mrs. Lida Dement and daughter, Miss Ida, of 928 Washington street, who have been quite ill with malarial fever, are on the way to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Shoers have just returned from Logan, O., where they were called by the death of Mr. Shoer's mother.

Mrs. Robt. McDowell, of Seventh street, who is visiting friends at Vanceburg, Ky., will return today.

Mrs. Louis Moore left last evening for Cincinnati, on a visit to her son John.

Miss Ella McCauley and sister, Mrs. Rose Ortseifer, will spend Sunday in Ironton, as the guests of their brother.

Miss Elizabeth Layman, teacher of the Free Kindergarten, left today for a weeks' visit to her home in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Locher, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jenkins, Mr. Louis Blomeyer and family and a few of their friends will spend tomorrow at the home of Mr. Brouse, on the West Side.

Miss Ella Wilson, of Hanging Rock, who has been the guest of Miss Ona Haggerty and other Portsmouth relatives, returned home today.

Mrs. Michael O'Connor and daughters, Misses Jennie, May and Anna, of West Seventh street, are expected home tomorrow from Comstock, where Miss Maggie O'Connor, was buried today. The funeral services were held at St. Patrick's church, Father Joseph Mertain officiating.

Mrs. Peter Lant, of Cincinnati, is the guest of her mother, J. V. Doerr, of East Seventh street.

Jas. Wilson, of Hanging Rock, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Beatty and family, of Waller street.

Frank L. Marting, who was in Cincinnati today in attendance at Mrs. H. Bunnemeyer's funeral, is expected home this evening, in company with Mr. Bunnemeyer.

Miss Alice Stevens, of East Portsmouth, will spend Sunday with friends at Sciotoville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jones, of East Fourth street, have as their guest, Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Granville Hibbins, of Waverly.

Miss Carol Gillen, of the West Side, is visiting her cousin, Margaret Marie Becker, of 150 East Eighth street.

Miss Mame DeBruin, of East Second street, has returned from a visit at Winchester.

Miss Ella W. Stewart, formerly of this city, now of Beaver Falls, Penn., is the guest of Mrs. William Kugelman, of East Fourth street.

SOCIAL NEWS.

Miss Carrie Donahoe, of Market street, will be married next Wednesday evening to Mr. Philip Ruhlman, baggage master on the B. & O. S-W., at the home of the groom's mother at Hamden. Miss Donahoe will go to Hamden next Monday, accompanied by her sister, Miss Margaret Donahoe. After a bridal trip to Chicago and elsewhere, Mr. and Mrs. Ruhlman will reside in this city.

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June 17th will be the wedding day of Miss Emma Wymer, of Eleventh and Offnere streets, to Mr. Abe White, of East Seventh street.

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Two birthday anniversaries were celebrated yesterday at Miss Emma Bell's kindergarten, in that of teacher and one of the little six-year-old pupils, Helen Hargett.

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The Gibbons Literary and Social club met last evening at St. Mary's hall. The ladies' first prize, a filigree silver jewel case, was won by Mrs Chas. Weber. As second prize, Mrs. Theo. Lehman was presented with a beautiful Dresden china plate. The first prize for gentlemen, a handsome clothes brush, was awarded to Mr. John Doherty. Mr. Jas. Fitzgerald, as second prize, received a pretty cigar case.

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The Young Men's Dancing club, assisted by the unmarried Elks, will entertain with a boat ride next Thursday evening on the Speedwell.

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Under the leadership of Messrs. Lucien Doty, J. M. McGhee and Raymond Lewis, the Elks enjoyed a dance last evening in their parlors.

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Next Tuesday evening, May 2d, there will be a social given by the ladies of the German Presbyterian church at the home of Mr. Chas. Smith, of Gallia avenue. Music will be furnished by the Orpheus Mandolin club. The admission, including cake and cream, will be 15 cents.

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Mrs. A. T. Johnson entertained yesterday afternoon with whist, complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Theo. N. Johnson, of Lafayette, Ind.

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Miss Carrie Webster, sister of Mrs Joseph Lopinsky, and Albert Wittekind, of Indiana, Pa., will be married June 19th, at the home of the bride's parents in Cincinnati

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } SS.
LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

{SEAL}

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system Send for testimonials, free F J CHENEY & CO, Toledo, O
Sold by Druggists, 75c
Hall's Family Pills are the best

Turtle soup tonight at Findeis'.

Three Special Values.

In ladies lace or button black kid shoes, that look well, wear well and possess all the requirements of a two dollar shoe, price for ten days, beginning 29th inst, 98 cents, $1.18, $1.23.

Remember the price and go to Connolley's shoe store, and see the goods. 28-4

The Woman's Auxiliary.

The meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of All Saints church will be held in the Bible class room of the chapel, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. This being the annual meeting the election of officers will be in order. Tea will be served at 6:30.

Paper, Roland Hall and Mary H. Rochester scholarship, Miss Isabel Kinney.

Music—Mrs. Rice.

Recitation—Stephanie Holman.

Hostesses of the occasion, Mrs. M. E. Wilhelm, Misses Kate Daum, Stella Smith and Mrs. S. G. McColloch.

Reporter's Bicycle Stolen.

W. B. Jackson, one of the valuable young men on the Blade staff, is mourning the loss of his bicycle, some fellow having stolen it last night.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Ed. Times—Please announce that I am a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Republican primary election. W. H. McCURDY.

Resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, as follows:

That it is hereby deemed necessary, and the following portion of a main on trunk sanitary and house drainage sewer is designated to be constructed as follows:

Beginning at the corner of Fourth and Bond streets; thence West on Fourth street to the first alley East of Chillicothe street; thence South in said alley to Third street; thence West on Third street to Court street; thence South on Court street to Front street, thence West on Front to Jefferson street; thence down the grade to the out-let in the Ohio River.

Passed April 19th 1899.
Attest—ED K WALSH,
City Clerk

JOHN JONES,
President of the City Council of the City of Portsmouth, O.

The Finger of Prudence Points

TO THE

Special Reduced Prices We Are Making on Our Spring Stock of Footwear.

Follow the line it lays down and you will have money in your pocket that wouldn't be there if you bought your Shoes elsewhere . . . . . .

Prices to Close April With a Rush!

Men's Shoes, in black or tan Vici's, Goodyear Welts, for $2.25.
Ladies' Tremper Shoes, worth $2.00, for $1.35.
Misses' Slippers, Star Shoe Co.'s make, for 75c.
Misses' Shoes, sizes 12 to 2, worth $1, for 65c.
Child's Shoes, turn soles, sizes 4 to 8, worth 75c, for 45c.
Ladies' Oxfords or Sandals, sizes 22½ and 3, for 45c.
The only $5 Shoe in Portsmouth, Helmers & Bettman make, for $3.00.
20 styles of Men's Seoes, in congress or lace, worth $1.75, for $1.25.

Men's Shoes that are worth $1.75, 1.85, 2.00 and 2.25, for $1.39-1.49-1.75.
Boys' Shoes, sizes 9-10-11-12 and 13, Excelsior make, for 75c.
Ladies' White Slippers, worth $1.25, for 75c.
Children and Misses' White Slippers 59c and 65c.
House Slippers for ladies in opera toe and all other easy styles that are worth from $1.25 to 1.50, for 99c.
Men's low cuts of Helmers & Bettman's make, worth $4, for $3.00.
Ladies' Tan Lace Shoes, worth $1.50, for $1.15.

Take advantage of our offers and you will not regret that you have spent too much money on your spring shoes.

The Originators of Low Prices.

The Sample Shoe Company,

517 Chillicothe St. Opposite Postoffice.

THE NEW

. . STORE . .

Lace Curtains, regular $1.50 quality, beautiful patterns, $1.00 per pair.

Curtain Poles and Fixtures, complete, oak and cherry, worth 20c, at 10c.

Men's 40c Overalls go at 29c each.

Men's 50c Black and White striped Shirts go at 25c.

See our line of Silkolines, big assortment.

10c Wash Dress Goods, 25 different styles to select from at 6¼c yard.

Ladies' Stock Collars, regular 20c quality at 12c each.

Ladies' Bow Ties, all colors, 20c kind at 10c each.

Low Priced Retailers.

Steahly Bros.,

719 Chillicothe St. Near Eighth St.

INDIGESTION LEAVES WHEN

WRIGHT'S PERFECTED WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR

Comes Into the House.

MADE BY

MARFIELD,

CHILLICOTHE, OHIO.

Does the Stomach Rule?

The warfare between the citizen and the stomach—Some pertinent suggestions.

HAPPINESS

depends on digestion. The stomach is a much abused organ. It is given the most unheard of tasks and frequently rebels. There is inflammation of the mucous membrane lining the stomach—this is catarrh.

Stomach troubles are nearly all summed up in the word catarrh. Indigestion, that murderer of peace, is catarrh. Millions of people to-day are at odds with their stomachs: they have catarrh.

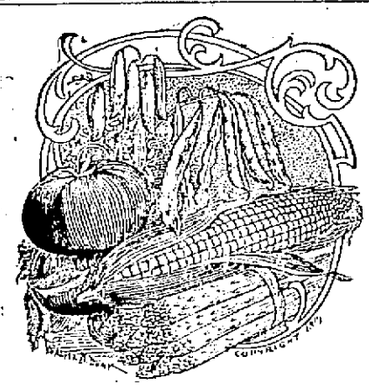
Like all catarrhal troubles indigestion has baffled science; the treatment has not been thorough. It is, however, fully established that a normal flow of blood through the mucous membrane makes it healthy and stops catarrh. The remedy that will do this cures every phase of catarrh and that remedy is Pe-ru-na.

Dr. Hartman's unvarying success for forty years demonstrates the scientific accuracy of his treatment of catarrh. Pe-ru-na is his remedy. It is a cure for catarrh that is permanent and certain. Nowhere is its success more marked than in overcoming stomach troubles. Mr. W. W. Strasler, 64 West Main St., Corry, Pa., writes as follows:

Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

DEAR SIRS:—"I suffered with catarrhal dyspepsia. I had tried three of the best physicians in Indiana county, and spent a great deal of money all to no effect. My friends said I could not get well; I had about given up all earthly hopes; I weighed 130 pounds. I accidentally saw the name Pe-ru-na; I immediately commenced taking it and continued taking it until I had taken twelve bottles. I then weighed 180 pounds and never felt better in my life. I am a walking monument of the virtues of your Pe-ru-na."

Thousands of people have catarrh and don't know it. Diarrhœa is catarrh of the bowels. Get Dr. Hartman's free books: they are mailed on application. Special book for women. All druggists sell Pe-ru-na.



The Choicest Vegetables Grown,

As well as fruits that are picked at the proper time, and canned absolutely fresh by the most reliable packers in the country, is the only kind you will find on our shelves. We have the choicest products raised, in glass and tin, as well as fish, shell fish oysters, etc. Fresh vegetables and country produce of all kinds. Remember our prices are cash.

The Model Grocery,

FRED L. KALB, Mgr.

9th and Findlay Telephone 763.

Refrigerators,

Colder, Cleaner, Better and more convenient than cellars. No household should be without either a refrigerator or an ice box. See them at our store. Handsomely finished, well made, ornamental as well as useful. Have you seen

The Wickless Blue Flame Oil Stove.

Burns oil with a clear blue flame similar to gasoline. See them.

Don't forget "The Model" and "The Queen," the two famous ranges made by the Portsmouth Stove & Range Co.

Storck & Hopkins

114 West Second Street.

MAYOR'S

Proclamation

FOR AN

Election.

In compliance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Ohio, I, CHARLES C. GLIDDEN, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth, do hereby notify the qualified voters of the Sixth ward of said municipal corporation that on

Tuesday, May 9th A. D. 1899,

between the hours of 5:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Central standard time, at the usual places of holding elections in the above mentioned ward, within said municipal corporation, a special election will be held for the purpose of choosing the following officer for said municipal corporation, to-wit: One member of Council to serve during unexpired term of member recently resigned.

Given under my hand and seal at my office in said corporation, this 22nd day of April, A. D., 1899.

CHAS. C. GLIDDEN,
[SEAL] Mayor.

Mr. Lahmering's Position.

Wm. Lahmering, the well known book keeper with Sanford, Varner & Co., has accepted a position with the Excelsior Shoe Co., as credit man and general superintendant of the office force. The position is one of great responsibility but it has undoubtedly fallen into good hands, for Mr. Lahmering is generally conceded to be the most efficient book keeper and accountant in the city. Both he and the Excelsior Co. are to be congratulated.

Girls in High School

Try their delicate constitutions severely. Too many fail both in health and literature, because their bodies are not properly nourished, and therefore, cannot support their mental energies. They become nervous and lose courage in the contest. Ralston Health Club Breakfast Food is good rich brain and nerve food for thinkers. Cook it in five minutes and eat it in leisure for the best results. Physicians eat it and recommend it for weak nerves, and because people relish it heartily. All grocers sell it. Purina Mills, St. Louis, Mo.

Stockholders Assessed.

The gentlemen, who started the Co-operative grocery some time ago, are sorry they ever engaged in the business. Today they received notice from Jonathan S. Dodge that they had been assessed $10 a share to pay the debts of the company.

Looking After His Farm.

J. J. Rardin is in Adams county looking after his farm property.

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont, recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed"—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont.

After using Ely's Cream Balm six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. Joseph Stewart, Grand Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

A 10c. trial size or the 50c. size of Ely's Cream Balm will be mailed. Kept by druggists. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

Notice.

Bids will be received until May 3rd, 1899, at 9 o'clock, a. m., by the City Board of Elections, for printing ballots for the special elections for members of Council in the Sixth ward, Portsmouth, Ohio. Days of Registration, Friday and Saturday, April 28th and 29th, 1899, at the usual hours. The Board will be in session at their room from 3 to 4 o'clock, p. m., May 6, 1899.

GEO. O. NEWMAN, President.
P. F. TRITSCHETTER, Secretary.

People who have once taken DeWitt's Little Early Risers will never have anything else. They are the "famous little pills" for torpid liver and all irregularities of the system. Fisher Bros. and Wurster Bros.

LOOK OUT for the first signs of impure blood—Hood's Sarsaparilla is your safeguard. It will purify, enrich and vitalize your **BLOOD.**

By allowing the accumulations in the bowels to remain, the entire system is poisoned. DeWitt's Little Early Risers regulate the bowels. Try them and you will always use them. Fisher Bros. and Wuster Bros.

RAW DEAL

Did Alex Atkins Get from His Side Partner.

Was Cleaning Out a Cistern When John Auckerman Got Jagged and Left Alex in the Cistern.

John Auckerman and Alex Atkins took the contract for cleaning a cistern on East Ninth street yesterday afternoon. Alex went inside the cistern, while John stood on the outside drawing up the buckets. When the water was all drawn out and Alex was washing down the walls of the cistern, John visited a saloon near by. Meeting some friends that were willing to "set 'em up," John soon forgot all about his partner, Alex., who was in the cistern waiting for him to help him out. After waiting an hour or more, Alex. began to suspect John had gone wrong and began yelling for help. He finally attracted the attention of some ladies, who put the ladder down. Alex. started on the hunt of John, but soon learned that the patrol wagon had taken him to the lock-up. "Served him right," said Alex. "He got the hot end of the string."

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a remarkable medicine. A dry, tickling, hacking cough, the warning that consumption lurks near, need no other doctor but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It positively cures throat and lung trouble. 2

A False Report.

The report that I have withdrawn from the race from the race for commissioner is false in every particular. I have paid my assessment and my name will be on the ticket in dead earnest for the nomination.

28-1w-d5 JAMES SKELTON.

J. D. Bridge, editor and proprietor of the Democrat, Lancaster, N. H., says: I would not be without One Minute Cough Cure for my boy, when troubled with a cough or cold. It is the best remedy for croup I ever used." Fisher Bros. and Wurster Bros.

"Cure the cough and save the life." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, down to the very verge of comsunption.

It makes no difference how bad the wound if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; it will quickly heal and leave no scar. Fisher Bros. and Wuster Bros.

ROSEBUDS

Budding womanhood! What glorious possibilities! What half-hidden dangers! What a time for tender sympathy! At puberty nature generally makes some attempt to establish physical regularities, but when nature fails to assert itself, developments result which injure the health and impair the constitution of the maiden. The timely use of Bradfield's Female Regulator, the standard remedy for all weaknesses and irregularities peculiar to women, is what retarded nature needs in all such cases. Sold by druggists for $1. Books for women free.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.,
ATLANTA, GA.

ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

Ladies' Summer Vests

With and without sleeves.

A good vest with tape neck for 5c.
Better quality in white and ecru with short sleeves 10c.
Same grade without sleeves, 10c.
Ladies' long sleeve light weight vests 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fine bleached vests trimmed with 1½ in. lace for 15c.
Ladies' summer union suits in white and ecru for 25c.
Ladies' light weight knit drawers for 25c.
Children's bleached vests, excellent values for 5c and 20c.

AT

Kate Miller's

709 Chillicothe Street.

CANCER IS DEADLY!

Results Fatally in Nine Cases Out of Ten—A Cure Found at Last.

This fearful disease often first appears as a mere scratch, a pimple, or lump in the breast; too small to attract any notice, until, in many cases, the deadly disease is fully developed.

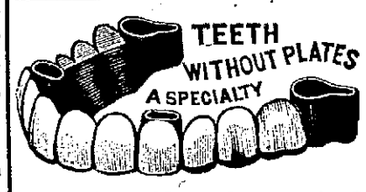
Cancer can not be cured by a surgical operation, because the disease is a virulent poison in the blood, circulating throughout the system, and although the sore or ulcer—known as the Cancer—may be cut away, the poison remains in the blood, and promptly breaks out afresh, with renewed violence.

The wonderful success of S. S. S. in curing obstinate, deep-seated blood diseases which were considered incurable, induced a few despairing sufferers to try it for Cancer, after exhausting the skill of the physicians without a cure. Much to their delight S. S. S. proved equal to the disease and promptly effected a cure. The glad news spread rapidly, and it was soon demonstrated beyond doubt that a cure had at last been found for deadly Cancer. Evidence has accumulated which is incontrovertible, of which the following is a specimen:

MRS. S. M. IDOL.

"Cancer is hereditary in our family, my father, a sister and an aunt having died from this dreadful disease. My feelings may be imagined when the horrible disease made its appearance on my side. It was a malignant Cancer, eating inwardly in such a way as to cause great alarm. The disease seemed beyond the skill of the doctors, for their treatment did no good whatever, the Cancer growing worse all the while. Numerous remedies were used for it, but the Cancer grew steadily worse, until it seemed that I was doomed to follow the others of the family, for I know how deadly Cancer is, especially when inherited. I was advised to try Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), which, from the first day, forced out the poison. I continued its use until I had taken eighteen bottles, when I was cured sound and well, and have had no symptoms of the dreadful affliction, though many years have elapsed. S. S. S. is the only cure for Cancer.—MRS. S. M. IDOL, Winston, N. C.

Our book on Cancer, containing other testimonials and valuable information, will be sent free to any address by the Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.



Bridge Work a Specialty.

Bridge work, per tooth	$5.00
A set of teeth	6.00
Best set of teeth, none better	8.00

Extracting, wide awake, no pain, 25c. Silver filling 75c. Gold filling $1.00 and up. Cement filling 50c. Teeth cleaned 75c. What you pay when teeth are extracted go on new teeth.

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409 Chill. st., over Ellery's Bargain Store. Office open from 8 a. m. to 8. p. m.

The Palace Restaurant.

First Class Meals at All Hours.
Finely Appointed Bar Connected.

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The Chillicothe St. Dentist.
Office over Heer Bros.

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To any part of the city at prices that will astonish you. We sell for

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Cor. 8th and Campbell Avenue.

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OFFICE HOURS { 7 to 9 a. m. 12 to 2 p. m. 6 to 9 p. m.

Grand Assortment of Lace Curtains

That are worth $1.50 per pair, go at

$1.00

Curtain Poles and Fixtures....

Complete, worth 20c,

10 cts. each.

Scrims, Swisses, Nettings,

Grand Assortment, 5c, 7½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c and 20c yard.

SEE OUR

Window Shades

Complete, Good Spring Rollers, at

10, 15, 22½, 25c

and Upwards.

Steahly Bros....

313 Chillicothe St.
Bet. Third and 4th.

MAYOR'S

Proclamation

NOTICE TO

Saloonkeepers.

WHEREAS, The Statutes of the State of Ohio provides, that whosoever sells or gives away any spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, on any election day, or, being the keeper of a place where any such liquors are habitually sold and drank, fails on any election day to keep the same closed, shall be fined not more than one hundred dollars and imprisoned not more than ten days; and,

Whereas, TUESDAY, MAY 9th, A. D. 1899, is such an election day, therefore, I, CHARLES C. GLIDDEN, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth, within the said state, by virtue of authority vested in me by said statutes, and in compliance with the requirements thereof, do hereby warn the public concerning the provisions of said statutes as above set forth, and that all violations of the same on said day will subject the offender to speedy punishment.

All officers invested with police power in this said municipal corporation are hereby commanded to close all places where statutory provisions are violated, and to report forthwith to me all violations thereof.

Given under my hand and official seal on this 22nd day of April, 1899.

CHARLES C. GLIDDEN,
Mayor.

HEADACHE

Was Wearing My Life Away. Had Suffered for Twenty Years. Cured by

Dr. Miles' Nervine

The most common ailment among civilized people of today is headache. The reason for this is that nowadays people use their brains more than they formerly did, and are also more subject to nervous troubles, which are the direct cause of headache. Too much brain work takes needed nerve force from the heart and stomach to the head, thus retarding the circulation and deranging digestion. The body is not fed—the nerves rebel. Sleep becomes a stranger. Loss of appetite is followed by a tired body and a tortured brain. You need rest. You know it, but—you haven't time. Dr. Miles' Nervine will give you the rest you need. It is for the man or woman whose digestion needs help, whose brain is overworked and whose vitality is impaired. It gives recuperative capacity to the organic functions of the system and is a speedy remedy for nervous troubles of every description.

"Permit me to add my testimony to the thousands who have already sounded praise for Dr. Miles' Nervine. For twenty years I suffered intensely from nervous headaches, from which I could get no relief. I was frequently compelled to quit work because of their severity. One day on my way home from the office, I procured a bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine, and began using it. Before the first bottle was gone my headaches disappeared, and I have not had them since. I have reason to believe I have been permanently cured and Dr. Miles' Nervine must have the credit."

W. W. EVANS,
Editor Independent, Waynesburg, Penn.

"For ten years I had periodical attacks of headache and neuralgia in a very severe form—so severe in fact that it was almost unbearable. During that time I consulted several physicians and tried no end of advertised headache cures, none of which seemed to give more than ordinary relief. A friend of mine, a druggist, persuaded me to give Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine a trial. I did so and after a few months' use I was completely cured. Although several years have passed since I used the last bottle of the remedy, I have never had a return of those terrible attacks. I have recommended Dr. Miles' Nervine to a number of my friends who had similar troubles and always with the same happy results. It is the best remedy in the world, and sure to do its work well." A. L. HUGHES,
P. O Box 405, Milwaukee, Wis.

"About four years ago I was taken with a severe nervous trouble which seriously affected my head, causing me great pain and dizzy spells. I doctored for some time without getting any relief; in fact I grew worse all the time; had to quit my work and for five months I was unable to do anything, and most of the time was confined to my bed. At last I was induced to try Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervive and I found that it helped me a great deal. I had become completely dispirited, but I now took new courage as I saw that I was gaining, and as I continued the remedy my health steadily improved. In a few weeks I was able to return to my work at the store and since then have enjoyed very good health. I am known all over this section, and many of my friends have asked me what I took for my trouble. I always reply that to Dr. Miles' Nervine is due the credit for my recovery." R J. VAUGAN,
Middleburg, N. Y.

Sample Treatment Free

A trial package of Dr. Miles' favorite treatment consisting of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills, will be sent absolutely free of cost to any person who will send name and address on a postal card, requesting the samples, and mentioning the name of this paper. Address

DR. MILES MEDICAL CO.,
Elkhart, Ind.

RECORD

Of Floyd McCormick on Two Important Measures.

Voted Against Electing Senators by Direct Vote of the People and the Two Cent Railroad Fare.

The following is published by request as showing in its true light the record of Representative McCormick in the legislature.

The Times recognizes that the McCormick-Kaps fight is not its fight, but it cannot refuse a hearing to gentlemen who have been denied that privilege by their party organ.

Columbus, O., April 26, 1899.

In your letter you make the following inquiries:

"First—Was there a resolution to elect U. S. Senators by direct vote of the people before the last legislature; if so, how did Hon. A. F. McCormick vote on this resolution?"

Upon examination of the records I find that such a resolution was introduced by Mr. Bolin, of Pickaway county. It was a joint resolution, and the vote was taken March 22, 1898. The result of the vote was: Ayes 76, nays 5. Hon. A. F. McCormick, of Scioto county, is recorded as having voted in the negative on this joint resolution.

Your second question is as follows: "Was a bill to limit railroad fare for passengers to 2 cents per mile instead of 3 cents per mile as at present, introduced into the last legislature; if so, how did the Hon. A. F. McCormick vote on this bill?"

The records show that such a bill was introduced by Mr. Bracken, of Franklin county, being H. B., No. 48. The first vote on the passage of this measure was taken March 17, 1898, and resulted: Yeas 48, Nays 54. As 55 votes were required to pass a measure, the bill was lost. On this vote Mr. McCormick is recorded in the negative. The vote by which the bill was lost was reconsidered and the bill was again placed upon its passage March 24, being amended. The result of this vote was: Yeas 56, nays 54 The bill was passed. On this vote Mr. McCormick is recorded in the negative. Yours sincerely,

H. V. SPEELMAN,
Asst. Clerk, House of Representative, 73rd General Assembly.

LA GRIPPE.

FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR cures LA GRIPPE and prevents PNEUMONIA.

IT HEALS THE LUNGS AND STOPS THE RACKING COUGH USUAL TO LA GRIPPE.

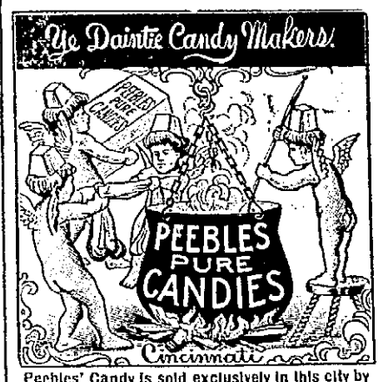
REBOMMENDED FOR LA GRIPPE.

N. JACKSON, Danville, Ill., writes: "My daughter had a severe attack of La Grippe seven years ago and since then when she takes cold a terrible cough settles on her lungs. We tried a great many remedies without giving relief. She tried Foley's Honey and Tar, which cured her. She has never been troubled with a cough since." 25c.

LINGERING LA GRIPPE COUGH CURED.

MR. G. VACHAR, 157 Osgood St., Chicago. "My wife had a severe case of La Grippe three years ago and it left her with a very bad cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. One bottle cured her cough entirely. Now we are never without a bottle of this wonderful Cough Medicine in the house."

IT IS GUARANTEED.



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ALWAYS DAINTY The work of bright, pretty girls, under the direction of skilled men, in surroundings as clean as a parlor, make it positive that **Peebles' Candy** is always dainty.

ALWAYS PURE Money cannot buy any higher grade ingredients than are used in the manufacture of **Peebles' Candy**, an absolute guarantee that it is always pure and wholesome.

ALWAYS FRESH AGENTS are supplied daily from the factory with **Peebles' Candy**, insuring that it is always fresh and delicious. Superior to others, but price no higher. Try it.

Agents for **Allegretti & Rubel's** delicious Chocolate Creams. A full line always on hand.

The Joseph R. Peebles' Sons Co.

JOSEPH S. PEEBLES, Pres't.

Established 1840. **Cincinnati, O.**

We desire to establish agencies for Lyleburn Fruit Cake—1 lb. tins. A great trade winner.

Sea Shore Delicacies

Without having to go to the shore either. A trip to our store or even a call by telephone and you can secure

Clam Bouillon and Clam Chowder

In convenient form at small cost. No up-to-date dinner party or luncheon is complete without it.

Delicious, Healthful, Appetizing and Strengthening. Full directions for preparing with each package.

Central Grocery Co.

Kricker Building Gallia St.

3 FACTS

1st. That there are 1000 men, women and children in Portsmouth and vicinity suffering with rupture.

2nd. That these 1000 persons are compelled to wear trusses every day, suffer much, and at all times are in danger of a fatal termination by the rupture becoming strangulated.

3rd. That these 1000 persons can be cured if they will place themselves under the treatment of

Dr. N. S. Bush,

The eminent rupture specialist, of No. 8 West Fourth street.

For the next ten days the already low prices will be reduced 20 per cent. A cure is assured all who take treatment for either Rupture, Varicocele or Hydrocele. You can attend to your daily duties while under treatment. Consultation free. Call either during the day or in the evening.

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Work done promptly.
Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Dr. Huggins' Pile Cure.

Pleasant internal remedy, eaten like candy. Positively cures piles and all rectal disorders 25c. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded by Amann, Nye, Fisher, Fisher & Streich, Reer, Wurster Bros., Portsmouth Drug Co., Flood & Blake, Wiggins, and leading druggists everywhere.

Red Hot Bargains

FOR ONE WEEK.

Study these prices and take advantage of our Great Sale. Sale lasts till next Saturday night.

Good light calicos go at 3c yd.

Dark Calicoes at 2½c.

Good all linen crash at 4½c yd.

Turkey red table linens at 12½c.

All table linens in white and colored at cost.

40c corsets go at 29c. 50c corsets go at 43c $1 corsets go at 85c.

Silkaline and curtain swisses at a big reduction.

Many other bargains too numerous to mention.

Please give us a call. We give rebate stamps on all cash sales.

Choice line of 8⅓ Dress Ginghams, sale price 5½c.

Choice new 10c Dress Ginghams, sale price 8½c.

Immense line of yard wide percales, light and dark, sale price 4½c per yard.

Best 12½c percales at 9½c yd.

L. & E. YAEGER,

507 Chillicothe Street.

FOR SALE.

Elegant building lots in the Connell addition, on easy terms.

G. P. Dennis.

Dewey Day Too.

Monday May 1st will not only be circus day but also "Dewey day" as well. Let every patriotic citizen hang "old glory" on the outer walls in honor of the hero of Manila.

To the Egbert Farm.

Mrs. Eliza Brushart is moving to the Egbert farm seven miles north of the city, which she recently purchased.

C. & O. Office Moved.

The C. & O. ticket office is temporarily located on Market street in the room formerly occupied by the N. & W. railroad.

Much Injury Done

To the eyes by using improper glasses, which is unnecessary when properly adjusted glasses can be obtained by calling at No. 417 Chillicothe street.

29 3 C. H. HARRIS.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, nervous seet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25 cents in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

John Robinson has secured the finest aerialists in the circus profession.

Little, neglected scratches and wounds frequently result in blood-poisoning Better heal them quickly with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, a thoroughly anti-septic application with a record of always curing piles, old ulcers, sores, cuts, wounds and skin diseases. Fisher Bros. and Wurster Bros.

Diphtheria, sore throat, croup. Instant relief, permanent cure. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

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Latest Bulletin

For DRUGS

1899 SEEBOHM.

Notice: For facts, figures, prices, etc., always consult Seebohm for anything in the Drug line. Vim, vigor and victory are constantly with us, and this means dollars for you.

Yours For Push,

SEEBOHM.

WANT COLUMN.

Hereafter only "Help Wanted", "Situations Wanted", "Lost" and "Found" notices will be published in this column free. "For Sale", "For Exchange", "For Rent", "To Loan" and all business or trade advertisements will be charged for at the rate of one-half cent a word, but no charge will be for less than ten cents. Except for the free advertisements, cash must always accompany the order or it will not be published, the amounts being too small to book and bill.

WANTED—To buy several old mirrors, 2 by 4 feet. Roy McElhaney. 29

WANTED—A good girl at 14 East Ninth street. Must be a good cook. 29

LOST—Plain solid gold ring on Third street near Chillicothe Finder please return to Welch's grocery. 29

LOST—Plush cape between Eighth and Ninth streets and five mile church. Finder return to 169 Market street and receive reward. 29

WANTED—A good girl at 311 Market street. 29

FOR SALE—Cheap, bed room furniture, piano stool and lady's Crescent wheel 153 Gallia street. 29 1t

WANTED—A good washerwoman. Apply at 246 East Ninth st 29

LOST—Medicine case between Biggs house and Front and Chillicothe streets. Return to Dr. McKerriban and receive reward.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms near Drew, Selby & Co's For particulars address Frank Thomas, General Delivery, City. 29 1t

WANTED—Work of any kind. 193 East Front street. 29

FOUND—A K. of P receipt for dues. Call at Marcum & Burke's drugstore, Gallia street. 29

FOUND—A fine brown water spaniel dog at 717 Washington street. 29

LOST—Thursday evening at Sixth street social, a pair of tan kid gloves. Return to the Times office. 29

FOR FALL TRADE, salesman wanted who sells retail dealers to take our Dry Goods Specialties in connection with his other business. Good commission.
27 2t FRANK D LA LANNE & Co, Phila. Pa.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 65 West Ninth. Apply on premises. 29 3t

WANTED—A good girl. Inquire at 157 West Third street. 28

FOR SALE—My residence, 132 East Fourth street. Has eight rooms, bath room and all modern improvements. Mrs. Charles Wertz 28 6t

WANTED—Girl for general housework Address Mrs. A. S. Duduit, P. O. Box 325 28

FOR RENT—House of seven rooms cor. Eighth and Gay streets. Bath, hot and cold water, gas etc. Dr. P. J. Kline. 26 6t

WANTED—To rent a house of three or four rooms, cellar and cistern. Address L. F. R., Times office. 24 tf

FOR SALE—Three room house on Summit street, Lawson heights. Lot 35x135. Inquire of Wes Crabtree, 721 Lawson st. 15tf

WANTED—Dining room girl at hotel Portsmouth. 27

FOUND—A Porto Rico dog. Call at 823 Gallia street, above Harper's trestle. 27

TRIAL BY JURY.

We are accused of selling our line of Spring Suits from 15 to 25 per cent cheaper than other clothiers. The people far and near have brought in a verdict that the charge was true. The evidence being so strong against us

We Plead Guilty

And shall not appeal the case. Our tacles are laden with the latest novelties in light and dark Suits and we are sure that a careful inspection will convince you of the fact that our line is the most complete, up-to-date and cheapest in the city. Come in and look us through. See what a fine suit

$7.50 and $10.00

Will buy at our store—equal in value, equal in fit, equal in style and make to any $12.50 or $15.00 suit you ever owned. All we ask is a comparison. Match us if you can.

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One Price Clothier. 127 West Second Street.

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FRIDAY, MAY 5th.

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We have a mantle for incandescen gas burners which we will guarantee for

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They will fit any burner and any one can put them on, or we will do it for you. They are not easily broken by jar and we will replace any that do not last one year.

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KINDERGARTEN

System May Be Added to the Public Schools.

A Committee Addressed the School Board on That Subject

At the Meeting Last Night—Dr. Mary Cotton Presented the Committee's Views—Other Doings.

The board of education met last night every member being present Supt. Vickers reported that Miss Bryan being ill, he had appointed Mattie Padan as substitute. His action was endorsed.

President Royse appointed the following committees.

Finance—Lahmering, McAleer, Lynn.

Building and Repair — Ridenour, Franck and Goltz.

Course of Study and Text books—Bannon, Rhodes, Knorr.

Discipline—Pixley, Fowler and Williams.

Mr. Ridenour stated that the meeting was starting off queer and moved that a committee be appointed to draft a set of rules. It was however decided that the board adopt rules of the former board. The following schedule was upon motion allowed:

Pay Roll Teachers Sup't. etc	$ 3,343 48
Thos. Vickers Expenses	2 30
Schloss & Co	12 00
Crowell & Co., Apparatus	350 00
B. F. Lynn	9 63
H. B. Murray Oil	2 64
H. Leet & Co	6 43
Total	$3,727 36

The bond of W. S. Walker in sum of $30,000 as treasurer was offered and accepted. In addition to his name as principal it contained the names of Jas. W. Newman, L. D. York, Geo, Kricker, Samuel Reed and M. Stanton.

The bond of the clerk in sum of $1000 was offered it containing the name of B. Frank Lynn, as principal as also of John Jones and Levi D. York.

On motion of Mr. Bannon the fiance committee was instructed to examine the books and accounts of the clerk. Dr. S. B. Alderson accompanied by officers of the kindergarten association Dr. Mary H. Cotton, Mrs. W. W. Pritchard and Mrs. John Heer having arrived they were invited to take seats. Dr. Vickers addressed the board and introduced Dr. Alderson who in turn introduced Dr. Mary H. Cotton president of the kindergarten association who addressed the board on the subject of annexing the kindergarten as a portion of the public school system.

It developed that the law permitted of a levy of one mill for the maintainance of kindergarten schools and Dr. Cotton when advised of this said with that the revenue would certaintly be ample to provide schools to accommodate all the younger children whose parents might wish to send them, but she was told by President Royse that the board already had difficulty in procuring sufficient funds the tax commission having cut down the school levy to three per cent, and it would be no easy matter to increase this. On motion of Knorr a committee of three appointed to investigate the subject and report at the next meeting on.

Turtle soup tonight at Findeis'.

At Less Than Ruling Prices

For ten days, beginning Saturday 29th, at Connolley's shoe store.

Ladies toe slippers, 75 cent grade, for 43 cents.

Ladies tan and black Oxfords, $1 and $1.25, for 75 cents.

Ladies black vici and tan Oxfords, $1.50, for $1.18.

Misses black and tan kid Oxfords and sandals, $1 and $1.25 grade for 85 cents.

All up to date styles for summer wear. 28-4

New Telephone Exchange.

It is expected to have the new telephone exchange in operation by June 1.

C. H. Harris, the Chillicothe street jeweler, was called to Vanceburg Wednesday and Thursday by some of his old customers, in the interest of the optical business. Mr. Harris' careful and close application to his optical business, combined with judicious advertising, has made his store headquarters for those wishing eye-glasses or spectacles. 29-d-s

PRIVATE SALE.

The household and kitchen furniture of the late Mrs. Thos. Kendall, 24 East Second Street, will be offered at private sale from now until May 1st. Call and see if there is a bargain for you. House open from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Chas. Kendall. 25t4

THE BIG "MILL-END' SALE

Will Be Continued Another Week, Positively Closing

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 6th.

This sale has been the greatest sensation of any merchandising event ever attempted in this city. Notwithstanding the greatest business of our history, there are thousands and thousands of yards of "Mill-Ends" yet to be disposed of. Mr. Lockart, the agent of the large distributors of the great eastern mills, knowing the drawing power of this "Mill-End" Sale, sent us an enormous stock, so that we are now putting on sale goods, that for want of space, we were unable to display before. You that have been here should come again. Come every day, for with a stock of this magnitude, it is impossible to see all the bargains with half a dozen visits. This sale is not confined to our main floor, for with such a tremendous stock we had to use every available table and space throughout our great store to display these goods.

IN THE BASEMENT

will be found some of the best bargains of all. 39c Shirt Waists for 25c, then best Percale Shirt Waists, sold in many stores for $1.00, for 66c.

Ladies' Under Muslins!

Such gowns at 69c and 93c as you would reasonably expect to find marked at $1.00 and $1.25. Dress Skirts—a bewildering variety to choose from—at 69c, 93c, $1.19, $1.39 up to $8.50. Every one a veritable gem of a bargain, but greatest of all these basement bargains is the Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits. $5.98 buys a beautiful suit well worth $10.00. This is only one of many suit bargains. We almost forgot to mention our LACE CURTAINS. This has been a big feature of this sale. Every pair of curtains bought represents a distinct saving—prices from 48c a pair to $8.00 and $10.00 a pair. Don't fail to see the curtains.

Many people are wisely buying Wool Dress Goods in anticipation of future wants. A great saving can be had in this stock. 38-inch fine all wool Manilla Cloth suitable for this season of the year in black and navy blue at 25c yard, worth 50c. The sale of best lining Cambrics at one single cent a yard goes on day by day. The flowers, hats and foliage in the Millinery Department are keeping a large force on the jump to wait on the crowd. You surely will want more of these wonderful "Mill Ends." Sale will positively close Saturday, May 6th. Large extra force to wait on the people promptly.

G. W. Anderson & Sons,

SECOND STREET.

IN A CRITICAL CONDITION.

Venerable J. T. Jahraus, of West Fourth Street Is in Bad Shape.

The friends of the venerable J. V. Jahraus, of West Fourth street, will regret to learn that his mind has become affected. Recently he endeavored to leap from the second story window of his residence, and yesterday he got away from his family and wandered over the city some time before he was found.

The finest specimens of the cutest ponies in the world are in the possession of John Robinson and are a feature with his great circus.

Change of Residence.

Joseph Stokely has moved from the Kricker property on East Second street, to his home on Campbell avenue. The house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Stokely is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dinsmore.

Mr. Philip Lauder will move soon from 95 West Ninth street to Yorktown.

Wire screen cloth, poultry wire, ice cream freezers, lawn mowers, rubber hose, garden tools of all kinds, and lace curtain stretchers.

FRANK A. GLOCKNER,
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WM. BARBER.

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These are the progressive young men who own the big circus, which is showing in the east end. They give their last performance tonight

New Cash Register.

Wm. M. Bonebrake, General Manager of Ohio for the Hallwood Cash Register Co. of Columbus, has been in the city several days the guest of the local agent, W. A. Gerlach. While here he sold to John O'Haro & Co. of the new Massie Block Cafe, one of the handsomest registers ever seen in Portsmouth. The register cost $250.

Watchmakers at No. 417 Chillicothe street.
29 S C. H. HARRIS.

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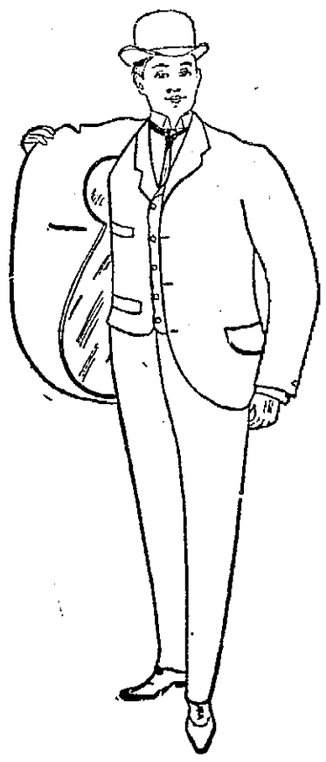

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